

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
LUBBOCK DIVISION**

TEXAS,

Plaintiff,

v.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION; VICTORIA A. LIPNIC, in her official capacity as Acting Chair of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; and JEFFERSON B. SESSIONS, III, in his official capacity as Attorney General of the United States,

Defendants.

Case No. 5:13-CV-00255-C

MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL FOR TEXAS

Austin R. Nimocks, one of counsel for Texas in the above styled and numbered cause, respectfully moves that the Court enter its Order permitting him to withdraw from representation in this matter because he will be leaving the Office of the Attorney General of Texas in October 2018. Texas will continue to be represented by David J. Hacker, who entered his appearance in this matter on August 8, 2017 (ECF No. 85).

Respectfully submitted this the 18th day of September, 2018.

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CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE

I, Austin R. Nimocks, do hereby certify that on September 18, 2018 I conferred with counsel for the Defendants regarding the foregoing and Defendants do not oppose this motion.

/s/ Austin R. Nimocks
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on the 18th day of September, 2018, the foregoing was electronically filed with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record.

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